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## **REMARKS**

In response to the Office Action of August 22, 2003, the Applicant submits herewith a Terminal Disclaimer according to 37 CFR § 1.321(c) which obviates the judicially-created double-patenting rejection.

The Assignment of the above-referenced application to JEOL Ltd. of Tokyo, Japan is recorded at Reel 012861/Frame 0178. The Assignment of U.S. Patent No. 6,586,737 to JEOL Ltd. of Tokyo, Japan is recorded at Reel 011524/Frame 0808.

In view of the foregoing Terminal Disclaimer, this case is now in now in condition for allowance.

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